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Branch Office in Hongkong. By Order of the Hoard of Directors. WM. H. FURBES. Chairman of Hongkong Committee. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890. THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED£1,000,000 RESERVE FUND £40,000 BOARD OF DIRECTORS. WM. KESWICK (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson DOLF VON ANDRE (Mossrs: André, Mendel

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Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Queen's Road Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the Matter of the Companies Ordinances | Provisions of the Merchant Shipping Acts. 1365 to 1886 and of the Chinese Amusements Syndicate Limited, Hongkong. To His Honour FIELDING CLARKE, LL. B., 1067

Acting Chief Justice of Hongkong The Petition of TAM KIT of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Sheweth :--

I .- That on the 6th day of March last your Petitioner obtained Judgment in the Supreme Gurta of Hongkong against the above named Amusements Evadicate Limited for - That the said Chinese Amnsements Syn-

dica e Limited is unable to pay the said Estate. Judgment debt. Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that your Lordship may be pleased to date. order that the said Chinese Amusements Dated 1st May, 1890. Syndicate Limited may be wound up And your Petitioner will ever pray, &c. 10601 Dated this 28th day of April, 1890.

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Hongkong, 30th April, 1889. BRINSMEAD'S PIANOS for monthly THE HONGKONG MARINA LIMITED NTOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of Directors held on the 29th January. 1890, a CALL of One Dollar per share (making in all Three Dollars per share) was made upon KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG, all the Members and that the same will be payable at the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China on the 21st day of May next.

By Order of the Board of Directors. J. A. HARRETTO, Secretary. 3. Beaconstield Arcade. Hongkong, 30th April, 1890.

THE HONGKONG MARINA LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Directors of this Company held this day a CALL of One Dollar per share (making in all Four Dollars per share) was made upon all the Members and that the same

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ING OF SHAREHOLDERS. can obtain copies at the Office of Messra. Gibb. Captain Sawer, will be despatched as above LIVINGSTON & Co.

By Order of the Directors. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed That the SECOND ORDINARY MEET ING will take place at Huiphong, on the 5th May, 1890. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY MEETING THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COM-PANY, LIMITED,

ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above named Company Queen's Road Central, No. 9, Victoria, Hong kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of May 1890, at 4 c'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the special Resolution proposed and passed at the last meeting of the Shareholders held on the 21st instant. A full and complete copy of the Resolution Dated this 23rd day of April, 1890.

General Managers. A. S. WATSON & Co. LIMITED.

DAY, the 12th instant, at THERE O'CLOCK IN the Report of the General Manager, togethercember, 1889.CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 6th instant. to WEDNESDAY, the 14th ibstant, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of

Shares can be registered. T. H. TALBOT, Hongkong, 2nd May, 1890.

NTOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL. Hongkong, at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, for the purpose of considering, and, if approved, of passing the

Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London.

2-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which and at such price as in their discretion they GLASS and PLATED WARE.

made as follows, viz :---£10 12s. 6d. on the 30th day of June, 1890 £10 12s. 6d. . . 30th , Sept., £10 12s. 6d. " 31st " Dec. " 1891. -That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple, and allot one new stare to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instalments, Sorip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as to approval, date for ledging Scrip Cer-

may prescribe, to be registered as the Holders the Shares represented by such Scrip Certificates respectively.

5—That interest at the rate of 5 per cent. annum (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instal-ments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th. June, 1890, Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends. in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other Shareholders of the Company.

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REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,

OTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN-ARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Hongkong Dispensary, on MON-THE AFTERNOON, for the purpose of receiving with a Statement of Accounts to the Sist De-The REGISTER of SHARES will be

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Hongkeng, 19th April, 1890.

THE JELEBUMINING AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED. A DIVIDEND of 3 per cent. for the period from 1st April, 1889; to 31st January. 1890, having been declared at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company held te-day, the Coupon No. 1 of the Sharewarrants

NOTICE.

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will be paid by the New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited, in Singapore or Hongkong as follows:-Coupons A for 50 shares \$7.50 each. B for 20 shares \$3.00 each. C for 5 shares \$0.75 each. HETTENBACH BROTHERS & Co., General Agents. Singapore, 19th April, 1890. NOTICE.

THE JELEBUMINING AND TRADING! COMPANY, LIMITED. THE COUPON SHEETS for Share-Warrants can now be obtained through the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. Hongkong. HUTTENBACH BROTHERS & Co., General Agents.

Singapore, 15th April, 1899.

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to holders of Shares in the above Company on which CAULS are still UNPAID, that unless the said Calls, with Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum, from the due dates, are paid on or before the 15th day of Maynext at the Com-

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agenta Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that INTEREST at the rate of \$8 per cent, ner Annum

pany's Offices, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares

in respect of which such Calls were made will be

of Article X, subsection VIII, of the Articles of

Esseciation the Board will pass the necessary

resolutions for the forfeiture of the said shares.

liable to be forfeited, and under the provisions

further notice. JOHN A. JUPP Secretary, Hongkong, 1st May, 1889. TUTLER, PALMER & Co WINE & SPIRITMERCHANTS.

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ARRIVALS. May I. EDENDALE, British steamer, 1,566. R. Humphrey, Nagasaki 26th April, Coals.-Adambon, Bell & Co.

May 1, Lozzro, Spanish steamer, 536, Ajubita, Hoile, 28th April, Sugar. - Chinese. May 2. DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, G. Tayler, Manila, 29th April, General.—Rus-SELL & Co.

May 2, Asric, French gunboat, 500, Journal, from a cruiss. May 2, Amico, German steamer, 820, J. Bruhn,

Saigon 27th April, Rice.-A. R. MARTY. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 2NI MAY.

Manmouthshire, British atr., for Nagasaki Taicheong, Germen str., for Newchwang. - ORPARTURES. May 2, TRIUMPH, German str., for Chefoo.

May 2, PATROCLUS, British str., for London May 2, Canton, British str., for London. PASSENGERS.

Per Diamante, str., from Manila .-- Mr. and

REPORTS. The German steamer Amigo, from Saigon 27th April, reports first two days light wind from East, during the last two days strong breeze

and high swell from N.E. The British steamer Diamante, from Manila 29th April, reports from Manila to lat. 20 N. light variable winds and showery weather; from thence to port strong N.E. winds and high sea with rain.

VESSELS IN DOCK. ABERDEEN DOCKS .- Peking KOWLOON DOCKS.—Go man cruiser Sophie, steamers Scient, Phu Quor, Alwine, Memnon. Apenrade, Bormida, H.M.S. Severn. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK.- Unnkow.

VISITORS AT LOTELS. Honokone Hotel.-Mr. and Mrs. Anand child. Dr. Andre Baleillard, Messrs. Bandenf. Bedat, M. Bigillion, J. McLeavy Brown, Mrs. Craigie, Miss. Dennis. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram | Lord Lunio, Maj. General Solly Flood, Miss Solly Flood, Messra. J. Forster, Andrew Fusber, Mr. and Mrs. Gay, Messrs. H. J. Gifford, C. Grandjean, C. Henrich, Lieut. Col and Mrs. Jorrard, Mrs. W. M. Lang, Gen. Chs. W. Legendre, Mr. G. A. Leon, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lyon Mesers. H. Mackinlo, W. P. Mason, R. de S. Mathurin, W. G. Morgan, Messrs. G. Robinson, G. W. Sheppard, H. Smith, H. P. Tooker, Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Mr. and Mrs.

> VICTORIA HOTEL - Messrs. M. Bennecke, Fr. Bernesconi. F. Bornemann, L. C. Cairn, Mrs. St. Croix, Mr. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Delestre-Capt. A. Getley, Messrs. Graham, O. Hecht Jorey. C. F. Mendham, Mrs. Parsons, Mr. A Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Schdenburg.

Per P. & O. steamer Valetta, from London, April 3rd .- Messrs. Heathcote, . Mossop. and Latimer, Mrs. J. R. Conn. Per Messageries Maritimes str. Iraquaddy, from Marseilles, April 5th.—Messrs. J. Dampney, Rayband, Pestalozzi.

NOT CES OF FIRMS

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS, Managing Director. Hongkong, 10th April, 1890. NOTICE.

selves as GENERAL AUCTIONEERS. APCAR BROTHERS. 68, Queen's Road Central. Hopgkong, 5th April, 1890.

Hengkong, Ist May, 1890. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. DURING the temporary Absence of the Undersigned, Mr. W. J. SAUNDERS

By Order of the Board, Hongkong, 30th April, 1890 NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. DE WESTLEY LAYTON in our Firm. CEASED on the Slat March last. laiwan(co) 21st April, 1890. Takow.

Mr. J. McLEAVY BROWN, the newly appointed COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS for Kowloon and District. F. A. MORGAN,

Custom House. Kowloon, 29th April, 1890. NOTICE. HAVE This Day Assumed Charge of this

Custom House. Kowleon, 29th April, 1890. HONGKONG HOTEL

MR. and Mrs. TUCKER (from the at the rate of \$8 per cent. per Annum WI ADELPHI ROTEL, Liverpool), have been will be charged on any Calle Remaining Un- appointed MANAGER and MATRON of the PAID on and after the 1st May, 1890, and until Hotel from this date. By Order of the Board of Directors, R. LYALL.

Hongkong, 30th April, 1890.

Secretary.

Care of Office of this Paper Hongkong, 28th April, 1890.

SUNKEN BOCK AT SOUTHERN E TRANCE TO AMOY INNER HARBOUR.

T. H. KINGSLEY, Acting Harbour Master.

Hongkong, 21st March, 1890.

JAS. EDWARDS. 1695

H. B. Weeks.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG. Per Glen Line str. Glenogle. from London, March 22nd -Messrs. Alex. Anderson and A.

Per P. & O. steamer Ballarat, from London. April 11th .- Major and Mrs. Hannay, Mr. Rut.

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED. R. JOHN A. JUPP has been appointed SECRETARY of the above Company.

TN ADDITION to our present Business in this Colony as SHARE & GENERAL BROKERS, We have To-day Established our-

I HE name of our Firm from this date will be CHANGED to PALMER & TURNER. BIRD & PALMER. Architects & Surveyore.

will Act as BECRETARY of the Society.

CUSTOMS' NOTIFICATION. No. .31. HAVE This Day handed over Charge of this Office and the Kowloon Stations to

Commissioner of Chinese Customs.

Office and the Kowloon Stations. J. McLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.

NOTICE

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low Blend, Blue (apsule, with Name and Trade-Mark. 8 0.75 Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet. Red Capsule, with 'Name and Trade Mark D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule.... 10 1.00 E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky: Gold Cap-IRISH-WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green

Capsule'

B John Jameson's Fine Old.

Green-Capsule 10 1.00 John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule 12 1.10 GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY. fine old, Red Capsule, with Name 10 . 1.00 A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-Fine Unsweatened, White

Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5.25 0.50 Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island ... \$1.50 per Gallon Benedictine Maraschino Curacoa Heering's Cherry Cordial Chartreuse

Dr. Siegert's Angostura

Honokong, MAY 3RD, 1890. Now that action in America for the rehabilitation of silver may be looked upon as in exchange is likely to have upon local of the Straits people get too jubilant, it may which our prosperity largely depends. As fall, and, siready, tin has gone down \$2.50 a picul since a month ago, the fall correspond. ing closely with the rise in exchange. Of course that does not mean any fall in sterling; but the mine-owner or planter buys and sells in dollars, and if he gets less dollars for his products it is no consolation to him to reflect that he gets the same number of sovereigns as before. His labour, and nearly fall his charges, are paid in dollars, and, especially in the case of the planter, the in-

him to pay his costs with a smaller number of those coins. Therefore while the rise in exchange may on the whole be beneficial to the mercantile community, and will certainly be a gain to the salaried classes, it has nevertheless its compensating disadvantages. It has been frequently urged that the fall in the value of silver has been an advantage to silver using countries as stimulating the export trade. To some extent this may have been so, but the tendency has, we believe, been very much exaggerated, as our contemporary exaggerates the probable effect of the rise in silver. As a matter of fact, in international trade goods are exchanged against goods. What is sent out in return for the Straits produce shipped to London is not bullion, whether gold or silver, but piece goods and other articles of English manufacture. If the dollar price of tin in the Straits goes down in consequence of the rise in exchange, on the other hand the dollar will go further in the purchase of imports from Europe, and the effect on the exchange of commodities, taking country against country, will be practically nil. In the case of individuals there may be loss or gain while the process of adjustment is going on, as is inevitable in all fluctuations in exchange. But even the loss to individuals is much less than at first sight might be supposed. No-considerable class was really twenty-five per cent, poorer when the dollar were supplied for use of H. R. H. the Prince of stood at 3s. than when it stood at 4s., nor when exchange again reaches the latter figure will it mean a clear gain of 25 per cent. The chief mischief caused by the want of a fixed ratio between gold and silver is [23] the element of uncertainty it introduces into the operations of trade. As between silver using countries or gold using countries the merchant can make his calculations on a safe basis, but as between gold using countries on the one hand and silver using fixed standard of value. The adoption This piece was hardly so well played as anything of bi-metallism would supply such a standard, and the commerce of the world would The same being specially selected by our largely profit thereby. In the meantime while silver is rising in relation to gold, it

> from the East may for a time that downwards, but this will ultimately be counteracted by a rise in gold prices. The P. & O. steamer Verona left Yokohama

> Rumours are in circulation of an extensive orium fraud in Calcutta, which it is said will involve the Banks in some loss. The evening service at St. John's Cathedral

or here via ports of call at daylight yesterday.

will begin at 5 p.m. (instead of 5.45 p.m.) on and. after to morrow till further notice.

held on Monday at 2 p.m. Order of the day, Committee on the Magistrates' Bill. Influenza is prevalent at Saigon. Most of the members of the military band have been attacked and public performances have had to be suspended in consequence.

In reprinting the accounts of A. S. Watson and Co. Limited, vesterday, an error occurre in the item "Ad interim dividend of 7 per cent. payable in November, 1884; "it should have been ' paid in November, 1889.''

To morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock the steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to II a.m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Charch, return--ing-about-12.30.-

The steamer Formosa which left Amov on Tuesday last, reports that those engaged expected to be able to float the Newchwang on Thursday last. It is reported that a Chivaman has been shot by the captain of the Newchwana. whether by accident or because he was supposed to be on board for the purposes of robbery is not definitely known, but it is feared that there may be trouble over this unfortunate affair.

We have been informed that there is a stoppage in the trade in Benares opium at this port. the Chinese dealers having suspended buying on the ground that while formerly they were allowed to select each chest out of any three now they are only allowed to select one out of two. We hear that the Chinese are forming a syndicate to purchase their own apium in India The demand for Banares has, we are informed, recently fallen off considerably in Hongkong, in consequence of the increasing competition of the native drug.

At the Magistracy yesterday morning, before Mr. H. E. Wedehouse, an inquiry was held into the circumstances attending the death of Chu Tak, a beatmen, on the 27th alt. It appeared in the same boat as the deceased that a water-boat, belonging Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., struck their boat which was being towed across the haritself, the small boat was struck and its occupants thrown into the water. Inspector Cradock. who was in charge of the case, said the body was recovered soon after the accident and he knew of no suspicious circumstances. His Worship returned a verdict of " Accidental death."

The M. M. steamer Arethuse, which went on her passage from this port to Haiphong, anrived at the latter port on the 22nd April. She left Hougkong on the afternoon of the 12th April, and the grounding took place on the afternoon of the following day. Some 350 bags of rice were jettisoned, but it became evident that the vetsel could not get off without discharging came to the assistance of the Arcthuse, and the have. next morning the Chinese gunboat Chento aron the 18th the vossel floated again.

On the arrival of the M. M. st. at Haiphong from Hongkong the Customs Authorities, in consequence of information received. of a Europeon sailor and another lot which had perhaps with justice, in most probably without, that purpose, these three or four were sure to be Chinese recruits, as well as even the older bands, been concealed by one of the natives employed by of expense and delay caused by varying demands; bribed. That was what occurred when some men has, as usual, required the expenditure of much assured, the question of what effect the rise the compradore. Altogether the quantity found and insufficent explanation, and endeavoured in were told off to look after gambling houses; the time in organisation, and development and main-Customs, and the two smugulers were arrested, the overseers &c with presents. That was a temp- was made to put down gambling. With refer- increase in the vote for the Gardens has permitsave that under the circumstances, the proceedbe well to remind them that such a rise will ings against the captain must be regarded works in Chinese should be constructed gistrar General said, that there were as by the Chinese especially, but there is some The increase of birds which has succeeded the be a blow to those Straits industries on merely as a matter of form. The penalty, ac. and maintained for a fixed period by Govern- many as fifty stalls unoccupied, but these difficulty in indusing a large number of them to passing of the Birds Preservation Ordinance cording to the new law, is \$80 per tael, so that ment. With regard to the question of hawkers, were probably in situations which were not observe rules which should regulate the conduct more than twenty years ago is an advantage in the total fine which may be imposed amounts be considered the present number excessive. With regard to the difficulty the Sani- of visitors. The summer storms have been again some ways and a pleasant change from the chiefsilv r rises, the selling price of tin, coffee, to \$108,200, payable by the smugglers, or in He proposed that men should be specially told tary Board had in getting through its business numerous and every one of them has caused less aspect of the Colony at that time when pepper, and other Straits products should their default by the Messageries Maritimes, unshould be held to exenerate the Company.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR F. DE WINTON AND THE EAST AFRICAN COMPANY. It is understood that Sir. F. de Winton is to

be Governor of the East African Company. RAILWAY STRIKE IN IRELAND. There is a railway strike in the South of Irecreased value of the dollar in no way allows land and all traffic is stopped entirely.

TYPHOON IN THE CHINA SEA. We have been favoured by the Spanish Conanl with a copy of the following telegram received by him from Bolinae yesterday morning :--Typhoon in the South of the China Sea direction W.N.W. from Paragua.

SERIOUS FIRE IN BONHAM STRAND A fire broke out at No. 68 Bonham Strand West, a general store, on Friday morning between 1.30 and 2 o'clock. There was a strong wind blowing at the time and despite the early arrival of the Fire Brigade on the scene, the flames spread to the adjoining houses Nos. 70, and 72 which were completely gutted before the fire was got finder, shortly before 4.30 a.m. No. 74 was partially destroyed. Five men living on the first floor of No. 68, in which lived some thirty persons, finding their means of exit out off by the rapid spread of the flames, jumped seriously injured that they had to he taken to the Hospital. There are two men still missing and search amongst the debris is being made by the Police. The first shop, No. 68, is insured to the extent of \$41,000 in three offices viz. North German Fire Insurance \$16,000 (Messrs Dunn, Melbye & Co. agents) General Life and Fire Insurance Co. \$15,000 (Messrs. Renter, Brockelmann & Co., agents) and \$10,000 in Lubeck Fire Insurance Co. for which Mesers. Schellhass & Co. are the agents. • No. 70 is insured for \$20,000 in one of Messrs. Ed. Schellhass & Coas agencies; No. 74 is insured for \$6,000 with the same firm; No. 72 is insured for \$7,000 with a company of which -Messrs. Dunn, Melbye & Co. are agents. The master of the shop in which the fire originated is said to be missing. An enquiry into the cause of the fire will take place this morning at the Magistracy at 10 o'clock.

PERFORMANCE AT THE GARRISON

The "Military Mummers" gave a dramatic performance on Thursday evening in the Garrison Theatre, which was well filled. The programme opened with the production of the countries on the other there is really no farcical comedy "Woodcook's Little Came." given by the "Mummers" usually is, and was the weak part of an otherwise good programme. The piece dragged occasionally, and the acting all round was not up to the "Mummers" average. Sergt. Grestock made a good Woodcock and was one of the few performers who threw life into the piece. Sergt, Hunt played the part of Larkings in a careful manner and Staff Sergt. Tennant made the most of the small part David. Mrs. Hackett brought her experience to bear on the part of Mrs. Carver. while Mrs. Kieller and Mrs. Watson were only moderately successful as Mrs. Woodcock and Mrs. Lirkings respectively. In the second piece on the programme, the well-known farce The Area Belle," the Company showed a de cided improvement. Mr. Watson made a spirited Pitcher, his only fault-being that a rather too rapid articulation at times rendered him incompreliensible. Sergeant Hunt looked and acted A meeting of the Legislative Council will be well as his rival. Tosser, while Corporal Cronch's Walker Chalks was an exceedingly clever little sketch. Mrs. Wats in gave a caretul interpretation of Mrs. Corker and Mrs. Hackett, in the title role, was all that could be another farce "Brother Bill and Me." which was, taken all round, the most successful prothat character sketches are decidedly her line. part of Miss Noodle. During the evening an

THE HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD.

formance this (Saturday) evening.

S. Brown, President; Major General Gordon, should afterwards interfere with or undertake Vice-President; Hon. (). Chadwick; Dr. Ayres, the maintenance of them for any period what-Colonial Surgeon; Hon. N. G. Mitchell-Innes, ever. With reference to this question he would Acting Registrar General; Mr. Wong Shing; again ask permission to call their attention to Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., Mr. H. McCallum, (Secre- what he had so often called it before, viz : the

THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FEVER COMMISSION.

would be taken to stop earth-cutting. PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE. hou e and some correspondence concerning im ble for their Sanitary Surveyor to superintend proved breaming ground at Yaumati were laid on a tenth part of the work. He was employed in the table; also the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon's the Surveyor General's department, and a very tary of State having decided to put the comreport, the Sanitary Surveyor's report, and the considerable portion of the work of that deashore on a bank in the Hainan Straits while Sanitary Superintendent's report for March partment was done by him, he was assisting Mr.

THE SANITARY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1889.

were taken and anchors laid out and at 5 a.m. cumstanced as regards locality and climate. He necessity. He did not think the appointbelieved if this were done it would be found that ment of special officers to look after them the death rate of Hongkong was comparatively would work. These inspectors would be open

attached stated that he believed that the Police force, generally, was looking after the instalment:be reduced from 2,000 to 1,500. With regard so many things that wanted putting right. sales of vegetables, fowls, most, &c. were permit- ly laid by Government. ted to take place in shops outside the markets. The ACTING REGISTRAR-GENERAL said he had | dent's report be printed.

written this minute because several of the points mentioned were such as he had been consulted upon and the proposition was carried. by the Chinese or had had to deal with. With I reward to the first point he had no doubt that the

His objection to anything in the way of putting to learn on what grounds notice had been given partment having replaced the soil carried away of aviaries might be an advantage. power in the hands of Government officials of to the whole of the residents in the terrace and the lower grades was that they were perpetually all the houses inspected. subjected to temptation of the kind mentioned. The SECHETARY said two complaints had

desirable that this temptation should be whole terrace should be inspected. He recom- of different kinds. The leaves of some trees were fly in removing plants in pets, from exposed withdrawn. With regard to his suggestion as mended this and the President approved. to a portion of the Police Force being told off Mr. FRANCIS said that however desirable such to look after the hawkers, the Acting Captain a proceeding might be he was afraid that neither softer and more succulent character, but where covered. These arrangements employ the greater Superintendent of Police might retort as the the Superintendent nor the President nor even Russian Minister did recently to the Shanghai the Board had the power to make such an infull force of the rain, the leaves after being and after storms.

Chamber of Commerce "Ne sutor ultra crepi- spection. The Ordinance only gave them power pounded by the rain hung in a decomposing the administration and working of the dedam" but he thought the suggestion worthy to inspect premises when they had a reasonable of consideration. With regard to the food sup- belief that a puissues sxisted thereon. Doubtless from the verandah into the street and were so ply he strongly deprecated what had become a nuisance existed in the cases of one or two of a common practice in spite of the ordinance the houses but they could not serve notices on or against it, the selling of vegetables, fowls, and order inspections of premises where they had no meat in shops outside the market. It was im- reason to suspect a nuisance. If the Board possible while such a practice continued that thought it desirable that they should have power the storm, at which time the staff resumed their within casy access from Hongkong. The results there could be any effectual supervision of the to issue such orders, then they should apply to

Mr. Wong Shing asked if the market ac- thority. commodation was sufficient for requirements f Mr. FRANCIS said that was the whole quessimply the result of insufficient market ac that the place should be closed as soon as an-

The ACTING REGISTRAR-GENERAL said there venient and accessible place was carried. were 50 vacant stalls at the present time. Mr. FRANCIE said it appeared to him that the market space was no more with the present population than it was when the population report is as follows:was only half as large.

duty of looking after hawkers, at present that in an amended form. impossible, as the force was not large special men were necessary for the work, the best plan would be to engage a certain number of men for the purpose and put them under the Registrar-General.

The PRESIDENT said with regard to the suggestion that house drains should be constructed by the Government and maintained by them for a period at a fixed sum, to carry this out would involve the necessity for appointing such a large staff that he thought there was very little chance of the Government authorising such a scheme. There was also the objection that if Government undertook the repair of property belonging to private owners there would be very little inducement for care to be exercised so as to maintain the drains in a proper state. With regard to the remarks about the overseers. be thought in any case where an overseer or any other official appeared to be giving insufficient directions, complaints should be made to the Sanitary Surveyor, and if not attended to, to the Board itself. With regard to he suggestion of bilbery, he did not think any thing of that sort could go on very long without of Swansdown, Corpl. Crouch being a fair it becoming known to some section of the community, and it was desirable if there should be any suspicion of that sort that the matter should be reported and a most searching in-

vestigation made,.. Hon. O. CHADWICK said with reference to the question of countraction of these drains by Government he thought it desirable on behalf of everybody that any extra staff that was necessary to curry out that should be provided. so that they might be constructed by Gove nm int. If the work were done concurrently with the new drainage scheme no very serious increase in the staff would be required. He thought it would be absolutely necessary to have all new connections with the house drains and this might be done by the persons who were desired. The programme concluded with laying the new drains. He thought there would be no other way to get the work done properly. Most of the work required to be done would have duction of the evening. This little piece went | to be done by people who very often did not onbriskly from start to finish, and was prested preciate the necessity of good workmanship. with laughter throughout. The dialogue is Architects and others, he was sorry to say, somesmartly written, and although some of the jokes | times did not consider it necessary to exercise have a slightly cerulean tinge, is distinctly any particular care, and contractors and owners humorous. Mr. Dade was well fitted in the part of of houses were not sufficiently careful over the of Archibald Noodle with one of those old-man laying of house drains. He thought therecharacters which he plays so naturally, and fore, even supposing it involved certain extra Corpl. Cronch gave a praiseworthy account of expense that the expense would be well incurred in the part of Simon Squib. As II illiam Wiggles. providing the necessary staff. As to the ques-Staff-Serg: Tennant displayed considerable tion of maintaining these drains, he was inability and he should be an acquisition to the clined to agree with the President that for the Society. Sergt. Grestock in the part of Benjamin Government to undertake the main tenunce of be adopted and forwarded to the Government Wingles had a part which fitted him like a glove, them would encourage carelessness on the part with the draft of the amended Bill and he has rarely been seen to greater advantage of householders. In the case of stoppages of Mrs. Watson, as Miss Scraphina Noodle, showed drains he thought the Government should be The President said although he agreed with Mrs. Kjeller acted well as Martha and Mrs. make them pay the expense if they arose from Committee he took objection to those in Hackett made the most of the somewhat small carelessness. That had been done in other the second and third paragraphs. First, with orchestra composed of members of the Band of the A. & S. Highlanders played several house drains constructed by Government. selections. The "Mummers" repeat their per-

to be introduced, the work should be done by the Government contractor, and he also agreed with him that the Government should not bind themselves to maintain those drains for any A meeting of the Sanitary Board was held number of years. If the Government laid the yesterday afternoon. There were present :-- Hon. drains on a good system he did not think they utter inutility, as it seemed to him, of attempting to carry out new works while the Sanitary Surveyor was engaged in other business besides A letter from the Colonial Secretary with re- that of the Board. The Sanitary Surveyor spent ference to the recommendations of the Board on the greater portion of his time in other work. the Fever Commission's recommendations was Many of their inspectors were doubtless open to evidence given by another Chinaman, who was in read. The letter stated that the scheme as re- bribery and a great deal of the work might be commended by the Beard would be carried into thoroughly scamped while supposed to be under effect for the sub-soil and main drainage of thorough supervision. They could not expect the upper districts, provided that no financial to not highly trained men to fill such positions, bour by a junk. The people in the latter crossed the impediments occured, also that in accordance and the only real preventive to anything of the be appropriated by Legislative Council or the bows of the water-boat and although it got clear with the recommendation of the Board no steps sort was not prosecution—it would be very rarely that such cases would be found out-but supervision, adequate and effective supervision A letter from the Colonial Secretary with by a reliable, responsible, well-paid officer, ocplan showing the proposed site for a new slaughter cupying a honourable position. It was impossi-Chadwick, and he was supposed to be Sanitary that person the Water Authority in the first in-Surveyor. No man, however capable, and he was quite willing to admit Mr. Coopers' ability. This report, which had been circulated, was laid could possibly properly supervise and superintend these works when so much of his time was There was a minute by Mr. Francis to the ef- occupied in other business. He asked the serifeet that although the report was a very valuable our attention of the Board to the necessity of then put and carried unanimously, the objection completely and Captain Aubert sent a boat to one it was not a report of the year's work of the Government providing them with a Sani-Heihow for assistance. At 9 a.m. on the 14th the Board and its officers, as with all respect to the tary Surveyor, who should have nothing else to French ganbost Chasseur was signalled and excellent Secretary—he thought they ought to do except to attend to the work of the Board. With reference to the question of hawkers and A minute by the President stated that it markets he had a personal objection to the inrived. The same evening junks arrived and the would be interesting if Mr. McCallum could terference with the freedom of trade where there transhipment of the cargo continued until the prepare a statement of the death rate of Hong- was a large and poor Chinese population as there afternoon of the 17th. Meantime soundings kong compared with other cities, similarly cir. was here. He felt that here hawkers were a

Colony did not make it advisable that all Sanitary accommodation. It might be, as the Re- effect. The Gardens have been extensively used be a nuisance. off from the Police force to look after this nais the reason was that there were so many quest more or less damage from the effects of either scarcely a bird could be seen, but the increase is ance, and that the number of licensed hawkers tions for the Board to take up and consider and wind or excessive moisture in the soil. Many not without its disadvantages. to the food supply of the Colony, effective super. The Parsident agreed with Mr. Chadwick condition to which their roots are subjected filled for the summer season with flowering vision could not be exercised over it, so long as as to the advantage of having the drains proper- during the heavy rains.

A MUIBANCE IS BELILIOS TERRACE.

With regard to the temptations which these observed at the back of some of the premises, It | Bavine, were caused. The bursting of the cul- terated names, A little more requires to be Benaves (New)\$4824 ...

overseers were subjected to, he trusted they did seemed clear that the serving of the notices to vert in Gloucaly Ravine within the New Gardens done in perfecting the system, but, on the whole, not give way to it but they, in common with inspect the premises had acted as a warning to completely obliterated the lower portions of the this work may now be considered in good order. every Government official were subject to it householders that their servants required to be grounds which I laid out and planted about He bimself had been interviewed with regard to looked after, and the result was that for the time seventeen years, ago. Soil was washed away, to more birds are desirable, these I trust will be added a silver cup, some friends of his had had cases being the whole terrace was in a fairly clean gether with trees and shrubs, to a depth of 10 or during the course of this year. Birds and aniof champague left at their houses, which they condition. There was a minute by Dr. Cantlie 12 foot in some parts and landslips on the preci- mais are agreed attraction to visitors, especially to had sent back while in other cases they had been on the report to the effect that the enquiry was pitous heights were large and numerous carrying. Chinese and children, but as it is not expedient offered money. In one such case his friend much called for, and one by Mr. Francis asking away portions of the gallery walk and parapets to attempt a collection of animals in these Garhad resorted to argumentum baculinum, that the matter be brought before the Board.

which had doubtless had the effect of putting Mr. Francis said he had asked to have this hidden the ugliness of the once bare staring faces the acceptance of further douations. On the a stop to a repetition of anything of the kind, matter mentioned at the meeting of the Beard of the fresh cuttings. The Public Works De- other hand, however, I think a little extension

THE URINAL IN BATTERY PATH. Some correspondence relating to the removal The increase of these outside shops was of this place was laid on the table. A resolution other had been constructed in an equally con-THE WATER BILL.

consider this Bill was laid on the table. The "The Committee appointed on the 18th April The VICE-PRESIDENT said with regard to to consider and report on the Water Bill have to owing to the greater steepness of the hills there. the suggestion of telling off men for the special submit for the consideration of the Board the Bill A considerable number of trees of all sizes were "The principal amendments are :--

> Authority.
> 2.—The Water Authority to be the Resident Engineer of the Waterworks in the first instance, subsequently such person, persons, or body corporate as the Governor in Connoil may appoint.

3.—That the proportion of the general rates cood 3 per cent, on annual rating and that it shall be payable by owners in the same manner as the other rates and it should be clearly laid down that the water rate is to be devoted in the first instance to the maintenance or extension of waterworks and in the second instance to expenses connected with general ennitation.

4.—That only tenements situated within 100 yards of a water-main or 200 yards of a public fountain or where water is laid on to the tenement to be chargeable with the water rate. 5.—That old water fittings should only be compulsorily altered, repaired, or renewed on the

certificate of the Water Authority that such steps are necessary to prevent waste. 6.—That a separate account be kept called the Waterworks Account and that all receipts on account of the water rate, meter rate, payment for water, in short all sums received on account of the water works, be placed to the credit of this account and all disbursements to the debit of the same. That an annual bulance sheet of the Waterworks Account be aid before the Legislative Council and pub. ished in the Gazette.

7.—The emission of the clause authorizing the Water Authority to cut off water from tensments where its servants have been obstructed in the performance of their duties. Committee consider that such an offence can be dealt with satisfactorily by ordinary procedure in the Police Court. 8.—Compensation for the diversion of waters

to be determined by the Governor in Council 9.—The Bye-laws of the Water Authority to be approved by the Legislative Council and published in the Gazette before they can be

10.—The cost of water not to exceed fifteen cents par thousand gallons for the quantity to which a tenement is entitled under the Bil and fifty cents per thousand gallons for any excess of water over this quantity. (8d.) N. J. Edg.

" J. J. Francis. "OSBERT CHADWICK." Hon. O. CHADWICK moved that the repor

Mr. FRANCIS seconded. prepared to help people to clear them, and then nost of the amendments proposed by the places. He thought in corrying out new drain- reference to the definition of the Water age works it was very desirable to have the Authority, he was of opinion that the definition as it stood in the Bill as originally provid-Mr. FRANCIS thought with Mr. Chedwick ed was better than the one that had been subthat when any new system of drainage was going stituted for it. He thought it better to leave the appointment of the Water Authority in the hands of the Government. In the second place, as regards the appropriation of the 3 per cent. full within the province of the Sanitary Board.

inclined to agree to them. might be vested in some definite person. This width, which were concreted was 3,794 feet in name was simply put in for convenience, it the Botanic Gardens, and 569 feet in Governwould be just as easy to place the name of the Surveyor-General, or the Sanitary Board, or a Municipal Council, so long as walks in the Gardens have been put in a good they had the power vested in some definite body, state by repointing and relaying in places, With reference to the other objection, the appropriation of rates belonged properly to the Legislative Council, but whether they were to Executive Government, it must be remembered that the Committee were only making suggestions on what they had been requested by the

Executive Government to notice. Hon. O. CHADWICK said the only reason for placing the name of the resident en ineer in the Bill as the Water Authority was that the Secrepletion of the works in the hands of a separate. person, it was naturally thought best to make have also to acknowledge ready and kind as. "H. Steam Laundry ... stance. When the works were finished he did not doubt they would go back to the Surveyor-General's Department, unless the Government accomplished is of great service, but when a made some other special transfer of them.

The motion of approval of the report was of the President to paragraphs 2 and 3 being at present there is mone. entered on the minutes. The Board then adjourned.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTEND. ENT OF THE BOTANICAL AND AFFORESTATION DEPARTMENT

We published yesterday a portion of Mr. The Acting Registrar Goneral, in a minute General in another instance. So long as the Ford's report for 1889. To-day we give another

pot plants especially suffer from the drowned | After the annuals are over the beds are again The terrible Rain Storm which began on the with coloured or ornamental foliage.

Mr. Francis proposed that the Superinten- 29th of May and continued during the following portions with steep gradients the rainfall pre- that have yet been accomplished. sented the appearance of cascades, the drains and cases did their best to explain to the Chinese Terrace was laid on the table. The inspection was borders and gravel on walks were swept away to tractive appearance. what was wanted of them, but complaints were made in consequence of complaints by two of the a great extent. A portion of retaining wall 40 planation which was not perfectly understood. a considerable accumulation of house refuse landslips besides the catastrophe in Glenenly as to the replacement of decayed labels or oblicit tune (New) \$432 per chest.

out and planted in a short time. The excessive deal of time in preparations to meet them so and though there was no desire on his part to been received from householders in the terrace force of the downfall of the rain was exhibited that possible damages should be prevented as after the storm by the appearance of vegetation much as can be. The preparations consists chiefically that the preparations consists chiefically the storm by the appearance of vegetation much as can be. The preparations consists chiefically that the storm by the appearance of vegetation much as can be. the plants were somewhat sheltered from the part of the staff for a considerable time before, many instances.

the Legislative Council and get the necessary au- Gardens' supply of water was conveyed having interest to our collections of both living and again in a better position. The total cost of re- latter native agency is better than none. pairs to storm damages within the Gardens, exclusive of the work new going on in Genealy Ravine, was \$618.66. The estimate and vote The Report of the Committee appointed to

Landslips were numerous on the hills throughout the island, but they seem more plentiful on the northern slopes than elsewhere, probably carried away by these slips. It seems probable that landslips may be partly prevented by the enough to get through the ordinary work. If "1.—The vesting of the waterworks in the Water roots of the trees which strike deep into loose soil. In this manner plantations may perhaps be of service" in assisting to keep roads clear by preventing landslips. Some of the most unsightly yellow earth exposed by landslips in plantations have been roughly turfed. In the tree nurseries, which, as a rule, are lands alternately used as paddy fields, a very large number of appropriated as the water rate should not ex- small seedling pine trees were completely destroyed by water or by their being covered with deposits of soil; these lesses have greatly di minished the number of trees available planting during the present season.

> The new departmental buildings, in place of the present dilapidated structure, for which the money was voted in 1888, have not yet-been commenced, but I trust that it may be found convenient for a beginning to be made with them during the current year.

BOTANIC GARDENS. tables have all bean built up solid with brick. Jurisdiction; and 5th, that there was no prowork. The roof has also been renewed and the wooden supports have been replaced with light Similar work has also been effected in the

The roofs and side sun screeus have also to a great extent been replaced with new material which the Superintendent of the Gaol has kindly had made by the prisoners. This is a valuable service rendered by the Gaol Department, a service which it is difficult to get done elsewhere

at a reusonable cost The glass roof of the old plant-house has been removed, in consequence of its decayed condition, and replaced with sun screens only. Our minimum temperature in December. January, and February is too cold for many plants which are attractively ornamental, but with a suitable glass-house, with the help of a little artificial heat, many interesting plants of

this kind might be added to our collections. An additional plant shed 30 feet by 9 feet has been erected in the nursery for the cultivation of sale planta. The glass-house erected in the nursery two

years ago has been of the greatest service in affording protection to a large number of plants propagated for sale to the public and for use for filling beds in the Gardens. Another house the same size as this one could be very well utilized new for the growth and protection in inclement weather of maiden-bair ferns and other decomitive plants for which there is a considerable steady demand by the public, and which would in all likelihood-be increased the plants could be maintained in a little better condition than the provisional structures now permit. The structures in the nursery need, many improvements and additions, but, pending the erection of the new offices, the improved nursery arrangements which may be considerably effected by the work must remain in abevance.

The special vote which was liberally granted towards the end of the year enabled me to put the walks throughout the Gardens in a thorough state of good repair by laying down four inches of lime concrete on all the chief walks which it was proposed to levy as a water rate, he which, by reason of their gradients, were was of opinion that that was a matter which should subject to continual scouring away during rest entirely with the Government and did not rains, of the decomposed rock with which they were previously made. This condition of the With regard to the other amendments, he was walks will now prevent a great deal of the disorder of walks which has always inevitably Mr. FRANCIS said the name of the resident prevailed until repairs could be effected after engineer had been put in by the committee as every moderately heavy rain. The total length the Water Authority in order that the power of walks, varying from five feet to ten feet in

ment House ground, The brick channels on the sides of most of the

A quantity of underground drains have also been attended to by cleaning themout and relaving, and improving sand pits which had been originally faulty in construction, or which had become so in some instances since they were Green Island Cement made thirty years ago. I have to thank the Public Works Depart. H. & C. Bakery

ment for a much improved service of water ob- Hongkong & C. Gas. tained from the Tytam Water Works and laid on Hongkong Electric... to ten tanksdistributed throughout the Old Gar- H. H. L. Tramways... dens. To some of these hydrants are placed so Hongkong Ice...... that hoses can be fixed for irrigation work. I H. & K. Wharf & G. sistance from the Fire Brigade Department in Hongkong Rope...... the arrangements of fittings for boses which are now in good working order. What has been suitable opportunity presents itself I trust that the supply will be laid on to various other parts of the Gardens where water is needed but where The flow r beds have been, as usual, twice

filled in most cases, and oftener in a few. The

winter plants consist chiefly of annuals, which are planted in November and December and flower from January to April. The Chinese New Year flower. Narciscus Tazetta, is also used for beds and it flowers in January and February, the planting being done at different times in order to preserve a succession of flowers. In the winter months we have now an additional difficulty to contend Land & Building with which is becoming more pronounced every year. I allude to the great increase of small birds which about the month of December and made a search for smuggled opium, but were Chinese would hall with satisfaction any system hawkers, moving them on and seeing that they The routine work of the department occupies January, after the bedding plants have atunsuccessful in finding it. Captain Aubert under which they could have their drains construct carried on their trade respectably, it would be a a very great deal of time in supervision and the tained moderate dimensions, make continuous however, continued the search himself, with the ed, say for five years, by Government for whatever very difficult thing, for the whole force to be past year has not shown any diminution of de. constanglite on them, and unless the beds result that he found eleven packages in the box sum wasnecessary. They complained in some cases, bribed, but if three or four men were told off for mands in this respect. The character of the raw are netted over the birds denude the plants of Luzon Sugar all their leaves, consuming them for food. These | Marinburk Furniture netted beds have an unsightly appearance, but Miningthe objectionable feature must be borne until. was 1.290 taels. Captain Aub rt informed the the usual Asiatic manner to soften the hearts of whole of them were corrupted and no attempt tenance of method and order in their work. The the period when the birds are most revenous is tided over. The Ordinance which specially protrade naturally suggests itself. The Straits proceedings being also instituted against the tation of small birds does not article said:—"Lest some contain of the Arethuse as being responsible for considers an investigation would result in showing that appearance. Greater nectures in walks and allow their destruction even when the birds have the acts of his crew. The Courtier d'Haiphong tion whether the psculiar circumstances of this there was a very inefficient supply of market lawns has largely contributed to the general become so numerous in places and seasons as to

plants to a small extent, but chiefly with plants

These arrangements demand and receive a Trust & Loan Co. ... day perfectly flooded the level and moderately great deal of attention. The summer arrange- : Watson & Co., A. S. The ACTING REGISTRAR-GENERAL seconded, level parts of the Gardens, and even on the ments of the past year were the best, probably, The plants in the recently made rockeries at A report by the Inspector of Nuisances of channels being inadequate to carry off the im- the north-east entrance have made good proofficers in charge of the sanitary works in most an inspection made of the houses in Belilios mense volumes of water. Soil in open beds and gress and the whole now presents a fairly at-

by the storm waters this department has now in |. The very frequent storms and threstening hand ground work which will, I trust, he relaid storms during the rain season absorb a good completely torn off, others had the leaves brown- | places to sheltered positions, and in securing sun ed and blackened, while on some with leaves of a screens with which the roofs of plant houses are

The aviaries are in good condition, but a few

state before the rains completely destroyed in partment has absorbed the whole of my time and left gone in which I could, without detri-. All landslips which occurred within the mont to the department, absent myself for any Gardens were removed, debris collected and purpose, therefore what collecting has been done carried away, walks repaired, and beds and has been accomplished by sending natives on borders put straight again in sixteen days after short excursions to islands and the mainland ordinary work. The mains through which the of these journeys have added plants of much been carried away by the storm o great portion dried plants, but excursions near home and when of the water needed for the Gardens had to be undertaken by natives are much less fruitful and carried from the nullah until the end of October, unsatisfactory than expeditions made ander when connections were made which placed as European leadership, but in the absence of the

POLICE" COURT

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE. THE ROBBERY OF EXHIBITION GOODS. Li On-wong was brought up on remand

charged with being in possession of a quantity of ivory goods, value \$600; the property of Cheng Sing Chi, on the 15th April. Mr. Dennys appeared on behalf of the complainant, and Mr. Bowles defended the accused. Inspector Quincoy, recalled, said he had no more evidence to produce and did not ask for a forther remand.

The complainant, recalled, said the case from which the ivery boxes produced were taken was one of the ten cases removed from Messrs. Howard & Co.'s godown. Witness also lost a quantity of sandal-wood, which arrived from Paris with the other goods, and was lodged in the M.

M godowns. The Court having expressed its intention of committing the case for trial. Mr. Bowles objected on the ground, 1st, that no larceny had been proved; 2nd, that there was no proof of criminal intent in the receiving of the stolen goods; 3rd, that the possession of the goods was in the first defendant The wooden supports of the tables of the and not in his client; 4th, that there was no north house having been ant-rates or rotten the proof that the larceny took place in British shown that the defendant knew that the goods were stolen at the time that he received them. It is Worship committed the case to the next

> Criminal Sessions; bail as before. ANOTHER SNATCHER. Tong Shin was charged with snatching a pair of brass earnings from the per on of a married woman on the 1st inst. The complainant stated that whilst walking in Pottinger-street, the defendent came up to ber and put his hands over her eyes and took away her earrings. Witness was alone at the

A watchman gave evidence of arresting the de-His Worship sentenced the defendant to vivo nonths' imprisonment.

time. The earrings would be worth about \$1.50.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS. FRIDAY, 2nd May.

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	THE MARINBURK FURNITURE	THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	Hongkong, 30th April, 1890 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIE LIMITED.
	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are	FOR SWATOW, AMOY. A
-	NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of Ten Dollars (\$10) per Share is payable	extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at current rates.	THE Company's Steamship "FORMOSA.
	on or before the 10th May, 1890, to the Com- pany's Bankers, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	DUNN, MELBYE & Co. Hougkong, 16th February, 1889. [17]	Captain Hall, will be desputch Ports TO-MORROW, the 40 LIGHT.
	By Order of the Board of Directors, J. MARINBURK,	ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.	For Freight or Passage, app DOUGLAS LAF Genera
	Hongkong, 17th April, 1890. 1923 PEAK HOTEL & TRADING COMPANY.	Agents for the above Company, are pre- pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at	Hongkong, 1st May. 1890. FOR SWATOW, SINGA
	LIMITED.	Current Rates. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co	BANGKOK.
· .	HOTEL & TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED, will not on or after the 1st day of May, 1890,	Hongkong, 12th April, 1890.	THE SCOTTISH ORIEN SHIP COMPANY, I
•	be answerable for or pay any Debts or Accounts unless the orders for the supplies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time	COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	"PHRACHULA CHOV Captain A. Bonson, will be de-
٠.	By Order of the Board of Directors.	Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current	above Ports TO-MORROW, NINE AM.
	J. WHEELEY, Secretary. Dated April 21st, 1890. [967]	Rates. SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.	For Freight or Passage, app YUEN
	LEUCHS' TRADE LISTS OF ALL COUNTRIES, in 36 VOLUMES.	Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. [15] THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-	Hongkong, 1st May, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP
١	NOW READY. The New Editions of ENGLAND, COUN-	HEAD OFFICE—Hongkong	FOR SANDAKAN AN THE Company's Steamship
د	TIE Vel. 17. SCOTLAND, IRELAND. 3. and European Possessions, Vol 27a AMERICA, North, South, Central and	CAPITAL (Subscribed), \$1,000.000.	"MEMNON," Captain Dorff, will be despare
	West Indies, Vol. 30. IN THE PRESS, COLONIAL DIRECTORY of Africa, Asia,	Lum Sin Sang, Esq. Ban Hup, Esq. Yow Chong Peng, Esq. Chan Li Choy Esq. Q. Hoi Chune, Esq.	on MONDAY, the 5th instant. In future this or other at between British North Borne
: .	and Anstralasia, containing the Colonies of all Nations, and the Independent Empires and States, Vol. 29.	The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World,	only, leaving Hongkong about days.
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	C. LEUCHS & Co., 6, Cox's Court, Little Britain,	Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not.	Hongkong, 2nd May, 1890. NAVIGAZIONE GENERAL
	LONDON, E.C. ESFABLISHED 1794.	WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary. HEAD OFFICE,	(FLOBIO & RUBATTING UNITE STEAM FOR
	(WRITE FOR PRICE LIST.)	No 2, Queen's Boad West, 11ongkong, 14th March, 1881. [63]	SINGAPORE, PENANG, A having connexion with Company to ADEN, SUEZ,
	FOR SALE.	FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.	MESSINA, NAPLES, and GENOA; all M
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	REPOSITORY. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1890. [985]	Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. 235	"BORMIDA," De Negri, Master, will be despon TUESDAY, the 6th May, a
	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK	LIMITED.	At HOMBAY the Steamers are Victoria Dock.
:	GOMPANY, LIMITED, a	A BONUS of Twenty per cent. npon Con-	For Further Particulars reg and Passage, apply to CARLOY
	arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if	A. tributions for the year 1889, has this day been declared. Warrants may be had on application at the	Hongkong, 21st April, 1890. FOR YOKOHAMA D
,	Control, will receive prompt attention.	above Office on and after the 1st proximo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	THE Steamship
e .	In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken	Hongkong, 16th April, 1890. 922	"SORACHI MAR Captain Brotherton, will be des above Port on TUESDAY, t
·. ·	to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES, Secretary.	QUARE BOTTLE WHISKY	Three P.M. For Freight or Passage, appl SIEM
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INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. Undersigned having been appointed	THE Company's Steamship "YUNNAN."	ON WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of May, 1890, at 4 P.M., the Company's Steamship "BAYERN," Captain J. Mergell, with	Cargo will be received on board until	, [ˈ
for the above Commany are prepared to PT MARINE RISKS at Current	Captain Peacock, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 3rd May. For Freight or Passage, apply to	MAILS, PASSENGERS. SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, Calling at Genoa.	until 4 P.M. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tran-	
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. rkong, 6th November, 1889. 18 NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 30th April, 1890. [1005]	Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 6th	Cargo for Loudon will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colomba	. "
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MAN ON INSURANCE COM- PANY, LIMITED	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.	despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C VIA NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 15th May, at Noon.	11
HEAD OFFICE—Hongkong PITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.		Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal	To be followed by the S. S. "BATAVIA," on the 12th June, and S. S. "ABYSSINIA" on the 3rd July.	
LUM SIN SANG, Esq. JP, Esq. Yow Chong Pang, Esq.	Captain Dorff, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 5th instant.	places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noow, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 7th	Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points.	H
I Сной Esq. Q. Нов Снине, Esq. 1	between British North Borneo and Hongkong only, leaving Hongkong about every cirbteen-	inst., 1890. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are	by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-	
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itors of Business, whether they are ders or not.	Hongkong, 2nd May, 1890. [885] NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1890.	To Montreal, New York, &c. 290.00. To Liverpool 325.00. To London 380.00.	2
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Agenta: 1235 NTON INSURANCE OFFICE,	"BORMIDA," De Negri, Master, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 6th May, at Noon.	Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports.	should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the day previous to sailing.	
CICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.	At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Victoria Dock. For Further Particulars regarding Freight	of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demorara, and to ports	For information as to Passage or Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,	A
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Here's friendship for you if you like." into the small room that serves as bondoir way of it." repressed all his life seems to be too much for it.

to have their late breakfast here, and who had ing his sisters with deep disgust. "It would be busily engaged in the decapitation of the delicate ... Nonsense! And all because I expressed a hean looking pensive, as girls will, when a long- decenter to give it another name at this hour! daisies at his feet. 'It seems to give him a sort silly opinion about a dead stick? I don't believe, expected pleasure has at last been fulfilled, and What lazy things girls are No, thank you of savage pleasure to see them lying dead and glancing at him sharply, "That you have been only the ashes of it remain, pluck up sufficient Tea and eggs at one o'clock. Bah! Murphy, dying on the short young grass. "Why should attending to a word that I have said." heart to break into irrepressible laughter.

lops. "What years it has taken you. We are get his sherry because the keys are mislaid." the loveliest girls in the world-we are we are." The keys, good gracious, where are they ?" Murphy, austerely. "That's bould boustin." Yo them?" as Norah appears in the doorway.

should thank the Lord if ye have decent fatures— "I think I know where they are"—says that about it. But wast I was goin to say, Miss," holding them out. with a return to his former geniality, as he feels "What English that child does speak to that's what I call it. Crack yer egg now, Miss, Norsh, say here are the keys." an' ate a bit. 'Tis half kilt ye must be."

are all like that " She finishes up with a laughter. sigh of utter contant. if Mist Nan an' Misther Hume hadn't axed me and give your father his sherry.' theirselves, an made a rale request of it." It is easy to see that the old man is actually bursting with the "great pride he tuk out of it." "An only for the grand new shuit that Misther Hume gave me I couldn't have dared to show me none there, wid thim London blagguards o'

just because he hasn't got a bran-new coat to "You looked levely, Murphy," says Penelope sweetly. "Don't stand there, sillown and talk to us about the ball for a bit." She can see that he is tired from his loss of

sleep, though excitement, that is all pleasurable. still keeps his eyes as bright as though he were seven instead of seventy. He seats himself gingerly upon a general jubilee. chair and looks happily at these two of his ever follows upon grief.

hair, I thought I'd a' died. Glory be! sich a June hour. dismonds. Twas a grand sight for an ould fool Nan, whose guests have all departed long ago,

unfaithful to Nan. of any sort.

like I'd ask ye. Look here now, Miss. Fil tell we a thing about him. I was in the supper tables, but only thinkin' fegs of the beautiful most glorious day. sight before me, when up comes hisself, an gives straight all through, is Hume." "It is just the sort of thing he would do."

says Gladys. "I think he has the kindest eyes the freshness, the sweetness of everything she I ever saw. But, Murphy, didn't Mrs. Hume sees reminds her in some unexplainable way of look lovely." compare wid her, at all at all ?" "Not one," says Penelope, rousing herself

from a rather sad little dream. "Was she the belle?" asks Gladys, uncertainly That Mrs. Dyson-Dwyor-her red hair gave her a sort of look-"Yes. But I didn't like the look," says Penelope.

ther?" asks Mr. Murphy, suddenly, with fer- time, why should Penelope look like that—as if rible disdain in his tone." "An' is it comparin' the world was so poor a place that she would her wid Miss Nan ye'd be? The saints forgive fain be out of it? What could be the matter Je. That endscent girl. An' not one dhrop ov | with her? Oh if it was Freddy! the tale blood in her body.

"Oh, nonsense, Murphy. Her husband is ____" "I don't care a thrawneen for her husband, herself she hates Freddy Croker. Ler husband can't give ve blood nor make a lady was wan ov the tuturs in it. He wouldn't live abroad. So was Boyle, by the way. inside av it, mind ye, for he was too foul o' the diron, an' o' course he couldn't git it there; so feet rouses her, and sets her once more in mohe fook rooms in the village, the ould varmint." I tion. It is now close upon three o'clock, and the

that low lot," says Mr. Murphy, pinching up by all the beauties that nature has so lavishly

"He might a' bin a Dook," suggests Mr. rises, majestically, and sails slowly, slowly south-Murphy. "She do indeed, Miss. But I knows wards. all about her, an that's what maddens me when hared galore, he suddenly disappeared." "What! spirited away? That must have

been pungent whisky," says Gladys. "Well, he went away, anyhow; and whin third day came round, an' no sign of him. Pat Detaposy went up to his room an stove in the door, an sure enough there was a clams sweep made of iverything, barrin' his big thrunk, that stood in the corner. It was looked, an was mortial heavy; not a man amongst em could move it; so they tak great comfort out of that almost insupportable of late with is gloomy "Why did you go to Paris " waks Nan, not thrunk, an' wint downstairs agin, an' determined looks, cause unknown and everybody else's through any over-powering desire to know, but to weit till the end o' the week before doin' any gloomy looks about him, cause very well known. I conuse it is necessary to say something. If he is in love with Penelope, why on parth "Change, I wanted t get away somewhere. to thimselves, wident pavin' his bill, why the doesn't he say so, and put an end to the annoy. Dublin is a dull hele when all is told, and I polish, which lasts a week, wet or dry weather.

"Why, what did they think was in it?" "Wby. clothes, Miss, to be sure, an' maybe Bidiculous folly!" Ridiculous, repeats Mrs. Nan nods her head. She doesn't remember Does not injure leather nor soil clothing. For validies o' one nort or another, 'twee so terrible Hume, to herself as the walks along, and yet Forears, but she is lest in a dream of her own at bard to move. Well," continues Mr. Murphy, there is something in the obstinacy with which this moment, and it seems a happy arrangement all kinds of Boots, Shoes, and Leather Articles, crossing one log over the other and giving him she clings to this word that frightens her. Once of nature that a simple bow of the head should "The week came to an end, an up the stairs still short days, as a hateful doubt cream into "Well, he dropped me a line to join him, so wint Pat Dempsey an' his wife au' the whole her mind not dor the first time. If George I managed the leave and went. It was as dull NUBLAN MANUFACTURING Co., LTD. family, armed wid a crowber to bust open the and Penelope should be right, and she herself there," says Ffrench, in his disconsolate way, thruk. Twas a hard job, for 'twas powerfully wrong. If it should be proved positively, that "I couldn't see thesement in anything. Formers,

tightly closed, but at long last up flew the lid. Boyle still thinks of her, as in those old dead too, seemed changed. After a week I came to a days—how then I A monstion of actual fear dead stick, and made up my mind to come back "Yes! Well! What did they find?" asks seizes on her, as shellet's this idea gain room—again—to come down here.

Gladys, eagerly, who has been working herself fear mingled with diagrat. Baising her sayes; He looks at her sideways to see how she takes up to a pitch of excitement that nothing will that have been fixed upon the carth; towards this open hint—to find the has not been listening appease save the dead body of Dan Connell him. heaven, as if to free herself from this detectable to him at all. There is an absent expression on | calf in that thrilling trunk.

Divil a thing, me dear—savin' yer presence— except the four tenpenny nails wid which he had fastened the thrunk to the floor! Ob, murdher! but ye should a heard the Dempsey's thin. Sich erecobin and yellin. I'm tould ye'd a heard thin in Glanders. Glory be! was there iver tich a take in----Here Mr. Murphy gives way to the delight

that is overpowering him. Spreading out his shrivelled old hands on his knees, he laughs and girls joining in with his ancient mokle. So there's ould Connell for ye," says he, at

"Oh: but it seems impossible," says Gladys, recalling the Beauty of last night.

sthranger still if ye'd iver seen puld Connell the flend himself in person. big enough to do jooty for the whole family, she, indignantly. But her mother was a nate little woman enough, an she had a brother who made a big fortin in night, and came down here this morning." the ball, laying down the tray he has brought cities. "Down to day, an' up to morrow is the could get so much leave as you do!"

working room, and den for Gladys and Penelope. The words seem to touch Penelope. She pales fattery given to the children be has sedulously world is a sorry place -with small happiness in as a screaming farce."

ting his principles, and speaking with all the "Did they ever recover it? I suppose it thinkair of one who must declare his real sentiments might be considered by this time in the "Well, what brings you now "interrupts she have some thought about it, you know." or die. "To look at ye. "Twas boilin" wid light of an heirloom. Who's that P" as a with quite remarkable rudeness, and with that envy was iver tother mother's sowl of thim in knock comes to the door. "Oh, you William! sense of injury still full upon her. Have some breakfast." hospitably.

father wants you. He says Miss Penelope is I not be here?" "Ab, hurphy lat last you see it," cries Pene. letting the house go to the dogs, and that he can't "To spake like that is unbecoming," says Mr. cries Peuelepe, starting up. "Nolly, have you quails. The old first dissimulation that he had stile?"

though," prudently, "ye shouldn't be too sure of smart little damsel, and galloping off soon re- again bent earthwards. that, syther, as it's only a poor ould ignorant turns with them breathless: "I have them." plan that tells ye so-an' not give yerselves airs Here's the keys" exclaims she triumphently, is just a little touch of hautcur in her manner, much in the long run when Panelope refuses

his duty was performed, "Is this: Did ye iver sure," says Penelope, who is out of sorts with see so grand a ball. Twas a credit to the county, all the world. "Don't say here is the keys, and without looking at her. "Oh: Murphy, weron't the rooms levely?" indignantly. "I said here's the keys! says Gladys. "Such flowers! And the band and heard me Gladys."

"The mine, too. Miss," says Mr. Murphy. of sugar for that" ories Gladys. "Best of lone as she speaks, and not only that, but a colemnly. "An I tak great pride out of it. Ye grammarians, you are indeed worth your weight little irrepressible incredulity, and semething know yerself I wouldn't have been there at all in gold. Here Penny! Here's the keys, go

> CHAPTER XLIX. "Thou only hast stopped unaware, Malice not one can impute : And why should a heart have been there In the way of a fair woman's foot?"

servants ready to run down a respectable man-Old Winter lies dead at last, and young Spring, lusty and strong, is running about all over the land. High and far his voice resounds, as through the woodlands, and up from the valley below, rushes the musical piping of a thousand birds. Everywhere

"The song of thrush or linnet Greets thoe from the hawthorn bough." And the soft beatings of their wings, as joyous-"Thank ye kindly, Miss, an' if I may take if they fly from branch to branch, adds to the It is the twenty-ninth of March. Two more

children as with unchecked appetites they get days will see capricious April safely installed in through their breakfast. Penelope, in truth, is, the seaf of honour; and the bolder month, feelsad at heart, but when one is young, hunger ing its dissolution so close at hand, has all suddenly grown meek, and laid down his arms, and ""I was a great sight intirely." says he; ceased the wild bluster that has distinguished "Twas in me heart all night that I wished the him during his earlier days. He is indeed "gopoor mistbress could a seen it. Whin I saw Miss ing out like a lamb." Anything milder or more Nam stand m' at the top of the room as proud as harmless than this last day of his, can hardly be a Begum fair, an wid all the Hume jools in her imagined. It is warm, sweet, and scented, like

like me. An Miether Hume himself. He's the and who is just now feeling time hang rather rate sort, he is! There's a gentleman if ye like, heavy on her hands, has started to walk through the woods of Huma down to her old home. A "Yes, yes, one must like him," says Penelope, faint recollection of that day-long past nowand then stops short as if she feels she has been when she had gone up to Hume with William to intercede with its master for that erring youth. "T love him," says Gladys without reservation returns to her. How little she had thought, then, that Fate was following hard upon her "Au so ye well might, me dear. Where's his heels that day, and that only time was wanted to quickly, awkwardly as he tells himself, though make her that master's wife.

The recollection is so slight, and so undesired. room one time, purtendin' ye know," with a that she flings it from her, as one in which danger wave of his hand, "to be busy at wan o' the may dwell-danger to the full enjoyment of this ple change so." There is positive warmth in the clear sunshine

how are you gettin' on, says he. 'Oh, first as possible. The heavens are cloudless; the we seldom meet them. rate, Sir, says I, an' on he wint-but tell me whole air one fragrant breath from the violets care of an only man like me? Oh, faith he's Spring—wild, explant—is holding high carnival in the words of Hume this day. - Nan. pausing-looks around-her. All at-once-

Penelope—Penelope, as she used to be. A pang "Arrah, don't ye be talkin." Who would ye shoots through her heart as she thinks of the of him." Penelope of to-day—so changed, so still, so silent, A lovely Penelope always, but with the old glad eyes. "So much the better for Penelope, if she life and heart and spirit gone out of her. She did not feel well, she said yesterday, when Nan had out her through a stiff-cross-examination; whereupon Nan had formulated a plan that should carry her off to town with themshe and Hume-when they started in May to "Are ye talkin' of ould Dan Connell's daugh- spend the season in London. But in the mean-Nan stamps her foot upon the ground as she

Since that night, at her own ball, she had of ye. says this determined old aristocrat, dis- never soon him. He had not come near the dainfully. "I mind ould Dan Connell well, an' country. He was given up body and soul to the the time he came here to this village, when the making of a name for himself at the bar, and collidge below was called only a school, an he just at present somebody had-told her he was

A rabbit twinkling through the bracken at her Why, what on earth did he do to you. Mur- soft spring days as yet are short, and it is rather phy, to make you so bitter?"

a long walk to Bathmore and back again—she
must make haste. Yet how difficult to go swiftly lung into her way. Down there, with the ann "Are you sure Mrs. Dyson-Dwyers's father glittering on it, lies the lake -one huge diamond was only a tutor?" asks Penelope. "She looks as the light now lies, and as she watches it, with her hand lifted to her forehead, a stately heron

A tiny brown bird, with a sharp twitter flies I hear Miss Gladys compare her wid our Miss from the branch on her right almost to her feet, Nan. Why, that father of hers, Dan Council, in quest of a witless worm—greedy thing—and he lodged, as I tell ye, in the village down be- Nan's eyes follow it, lose it, only to gain some. low, with the Dempseys, an' whin he had been thing else so generous is this warm spring-time. there for five months, wid niver a farthin' paid 'The bird is gone, but here to her eyes is spread for anythin, an the grog and the punch ord- a whole carpet of flowers, poloured as dyer never yet could paint his clothes.

Heigh ho ! daisies and butterenus. Fair yellow daffodile stately and tall A conshing world, full of laughter and leisure, And fresh hearts ... unconscious of sorrow, and thrall,

goodness, he is out of the way. He has grown ther until the last—the end. Untilcontinues, widout paying the complise ing conclusion to which her husband and Pane, thought's week in Paris would kill the cobwebs thim over an over agin."

In the continue of the complish of the complish in my brain. Besides, Ferrars was there. You Mud can be washed off and polish remains. to be still in love with her. Nan.

supposition, she suddenly finds hersalf : face to her face not to be mistaken. face with Captain Firench.

> CHAPTER L. As I in boykedd boyed; But when you fell me this is love.

It proyection never loved !" You !" seyn abe . The distile to ber late fancy has not not died from her days, and there thing," says Nan, rather shocked at her breach is altogether a disgraceful lack of courtesy in the of manners, and still bent on being specially langue again, the silver merriment of the two greeting she offers him the that the him became of this last hopeless at such lieved him so happily far away—so unlikely to ment of his. So there's ould Connell for ye," says he, at trouble her peace again—to find him thus "I ld you? Come," says he, with a disagree, principal Loudon Clubs, being of care quality. TO.1 ALBANY.

And he was own father to Mrs. Dyson, suddenly before her, fills her with a sort of able smile. "I hat was the last word I said, eh?" age, and excellence. unreasoning and decidedly unjust auger. "Nothing better!" returns he, morosely, down ; but heaven and earth seem to have forenraged by her evident annoyance at his presence. saken her. What had he been talking about?

"Faith go it do, Miss. An ye'd think it To judge by your looks, one hight think me Suddenly a vegue memory, a single word or two. himself; wid his most like a live scal, an' a mouth | "Why, Julia told me you were in Paris," says | give her hope

"Well, so I was," doggedly: "I returned last first I couldn't remember quite the last words-Anothraly, an' he left it all to her daughter; but 'lead me that," with unmitigated when unexpectedly put to the lest; but 'lead and the daughther turnin out to have a pretty resentment. I can see you. Good heavens! stick were the words, ch P I'm right, am I not face of her own, Misther Dyson Dwyer saw her, pushing back the riotous looks from her forehead, lest yes, I teld you Lagreed with you, they do an' fell in love wid her, an' there she is now, and growing even more incensed. "What's bed rather spoil the gen ral effect of the" (airily) fair, holdin' up her head wid she best o' thim half-penny you are—turning up at all hours, and "exquisite green of the young spring shoots, but this day. The world's a quare place entirely," just when least expected. How do you manage I suppose poor old winter does not want to be Well," says Mr. Murphy, the morning after says Mr. Murphy, with a sigh for its eccentri- it? I never heard of anyone in all my life who forgotten all at once. He leaves us the dead

"So very, very much! In my humble opinion, decessy it is ego, not frost and snow, that kills "Twas a thrate to see ye last night!" So much a little and pushes away her plate. Truly the the duties of the British soldier may be regarded so much of the underwood. What do you think !" "I don't know what you mean," says Ffrench, a tone that makes her look at him. him, and he is silent for a moment. Only for a "I wonder if Mrs. Dyson-Dwyer knows trying to speak with a proper calm. "I bave moment, "Oh!" says he, still further forget about that trunk?" says Gladys, pensively, not been down here since, Christmas. If you "and," after a closer sorutiny of his frowning

"You certainly are in a very extraordinary At this Penelope and Gladys, who had elected "Breakfast!" says William the Gruff, regard. mood," says he, his eyes on the ground, his cane people I know. Will that do ?"

> "Why, indeed f Still, answer me," says she ! growth of angry suspicion in her eyes that he your way to Rathmore, is it not? Over this almost cast aside as useless now returns to him. "You might guess," he says, his dark face he him to give a decisive answer—and at once.

Penelope!" She repeats her sister's name something else in it to which she can give no "I didn't say, here is the keys" says Nolly again, as if to make sure she has heard You aright. Porhaps, after all, spite of the ardent manner in which she had tried to permade after she had bidden him goodbye, and is still in Twas my first ball, you know, and if they At this, both Gladys and William roar with herself into a belief in it, she had not al- her mind when she enters the old schoolroom at together credited that idea of his being in love listhmore where whurphy tells her she shall "Come here Nolly; you shall have two lumns with Penelope. There is astonishment in her find Penelope.

else that might resolve itself into relief. There is almost every note in it indeed, except chaggin "But Penelope." begins she, thinking with consternation of that scene at her own dance. where Penelope had laid bare to her heart If he is in earnest, what can she say to him now? ' Have you spoken to her?" asks she softly.

"I am afraid. . . Oh! Boyle," an expression of honest grief and regret saddening her features. "Are you really going to tell me that you have fallen in love with Penelope?" "Why?" says he, in a husky voice, dwelling with a mad hope on that sudden change in her -" Would you-care ?" "Oh. you know I would." cries she, the tears starting to her eyes. Poor fellow, if he is really

in carnest, how is she to explain it all to him.

"Has—has it never occurred to you," falters she, that---"What ?" : His dark, eager eyes still devouring her sorrowful face. "That Penelope--" She hesitates. It is so difficult to speak without betraying Penelope's secret, without once again; hurting his amour ropre-"I don't think Penelope cares for you that way," says she at last, driven to bluntness because of her inability to think of anything else in her present nervous state. Ffrench stares at her. Has she really believ ed him then? And her hesitation, her evident agitation, is it jealousy? A dull man in many

ways, and vain to a degree, as dull men often are, blinded too by his own passion for her that has never alumbered or slept, he clings now to this wild fancy, and feeds upon it with a sudden fierce vigour that shows how hungered he has been for such food for many days-how near to starvation he has come through lack of it. "Of course I can't be sure," she goes on the awkwardness arises from a very different cause to that which he ascribes to it. "It is impossible to judge of anybody's feelings. Peo-

"Some people don't," says he, in a tone so curious that involuntarily she looks at him: me a nate slap on the back. 'Well Murphy,' that strikes on budding tree and flower. The says he, as pleasant as ye place, for all the world indeed as if I'd been wan o' the guests. 'An' mossy heads, as though eager to begin life as soon in the control of the guests. 'An' mossy heads, as though eager to begin life as soon we seldom meet them."

True," says she, slewly, feeling a little puzcach, and in cases, containing six times the quantity,
led, and with doubt growing strong within her list. Sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the
cone more. "But such people are so ware that great majority of long standing cases, BY ALL
we seldom meet them." "You should be the last to say that. You, atnow, Miss Penelope, wasn't that great notice to and primroses that throng her path. The boy least, have met one," says he, this time harriedly. England. Trade Mark. "Blood MILTURE." A little sinking at the heart admonishes Nan to laugh, and make light of this new inexplicable mood that has seized hold of him. "You mean Mr. Hume," says she, lightly.

-Yes. He looks like that."

"Does he?" sullenly. "I was not thinking "Of yourself, then?" looking him full in the chooses to listen to you. By-the-bye, Lam going to Rathmore now-will you accompany me?" "Not now. I shall go there later on," says he carefully. That one irrepressible outburst had almost betrayed him, but now he has himself well under control again. It is butter, no doubt. to have this shadow—this vague figure of Ponelope between them, until he can with safety sav to her, what she already knows is in his heart During all the long months since her marriage. in spite of the silence he has compelled himself to keep, the certainty that she understood was comes to this point in her thoughts, and tells never away from him. The knowledge that she had wedded Hame against her will had become clear to him shortly after her return to the Castle: and that knowledge once entered into him, all things else seemed plain. She did not love Hume. She had loved him. A malign fate

> had tried to separate her from him, but Fate had been defied before now, and could, nay, should be defied again. "You are staying with Julia," says Nan, who s making conversation very diligently. "Yes. In spite of her many excellent quali ties," says Boyle, sneeringly, "it has occurred to ment-times that Julia is a somewhat super-

> "You should not say that. She has been very kind," says Nan, making her rebuke in a singularly kind tone, so great is her pity for nim. Once again she his reered round to the belief that he has now foolishly given all the affection of which he is capable into Penelope's unsympathetic keeping.

> "Tis a Filling kindness," says he. "I don't know anything that I would not rather do than spend an evening an evening alone with Julia." "I suprose all nunts are unpleasant." sa s Nan, with a sigh. "Well—as the prospect of an evening seems to weigh so heavily on you come up to Hume, and spend it with us. Mr. Hume will be very glad if you will dine with

"Thank you," stiffly. The invitation would lave been more welcome if Hume's name had Send down on their plesspressiles passing its messure, not been introduced. But then he tells himself it was always one of Nan's charms to throw a SELF SHINING. No BRUSHES REQUIRED "Yes. Boyle has gone abroad too. A run over touch of dignity into all she said and did. She to Paris, nothing more than that But thank would no doubt acknowledge Hame's claim on

"I don't believe you heard one word of what I have been saying," exclaims be, wrathfully, his heavy brows meeting in a frown. "Eh P' says Nan, startled. "Oh, yes Yes. I assure you I heard everything. I quite agree with you"

"What do you mean? I really beard ove y-What, indeed! Nan looks up and Nan looks

"That will do," says he, grimly."

returning to that appropriately inquirer, her brain, "Why of course, she kays brightly. "just at

one often feels pur led about the simplest things branches here and there to remind us of his work. Though after all," plaintively this. "I "You leave me without thought," says he, in

"What a vidiculous answer." returns she, countenance, "what an expression.) on must "About what? What you have just said?

"I think you are one of the most, ingenious At this, a low laugh breaks from Ffrench. "I did you scant justice," says he bitterly. with so direct a look, with such a fresh young "In your own line you are inimitable. Here is

"You will not come on then?" "Not now. I have an engagement." "; oldhearted love." sava she, smiling, a little "I couldn't;" says Nan. impatiently. There | glad at the thought that he may not suffer so very a certain dangerous light in her eyes that warns him. She is a little puzzled by the glance with which he receives this accusation. The reproach-Is not Penelope here?" says he in a low tone, in it could be easily, anderstood - why should she doubt his affection for Penelope? but the name. What did that mean, what was it? It troubles her a little all the way to the house

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